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SUBJE: RHODESIAN SETTLEMENT PROPOSALS: JOINT US-UK DEMARCHE

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1. ON AUGUST 31, CHARGE AND UK AMBASSADOR PATRICK WRIGHT MADE

JOINT DEMARCHE TO MFA POLITICAL DIRECTOR PAUL MERTZ AND LEFT DOCUMENTS ACCORDING TO INSTRUCTIONS. MERTZ SAID PRIME MINISTER THORN AND OTHR GOL OFFICIALS WOULD GIVE THE PROPOSALS PRIORITY ATTENTION. HE PROMISED TO LET US KNOW THE OFFICIAL GOL REACTION AS SOON AS IT IS AVAILABLE.

2. MERTZ ADDED THAT LUXEMBOURG OBVIOUSLY HOPES THE RHODESIAN SETTLEMENT PROPOSALS WILL WORK AND THAT THE GOL WILL WANT TO CONTRIBUTE TO THEIR SUCCESS. SPEAKING OFF THE RECORD, HE SAID THE GOL RECOGNIZES THE NEED TO INCREASE ITS ASSISTANCE DEVELOPMENT CONTRIBUITONS AND THAT THE ZIMBABWE DEVELOPMENT FUND, IF IT MATERIALIZES, COULD BE AN ATTRACTIVE MEANS OF DOING SO. HE EMPHASIZED THAT THOSE WERE HIS OWN VIEWS AND THAT HE COULD NOT GIVE US AN OFFICIAL RESPONSE UNTIL THE GOL HAS HAD A CHANCE TO CONSIDER ZDF PROPOSALS IN DETAIL. PHILLIPS

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